

Summary of Events – Freedom Convoy

- **00:57** – An OPP officer at a checkpoint at Montreal Road and Vanier Parkway, was struck by a vehicle and sustained minor injuries. It is believed to be intentional and the incident is being investigated by OPS.
- Parliament resumed activity, debate is expected to last throughout the weekend. To date, 24 Members of Parliament (MPs) and a Supreme Court Chief Justice have been escorted safely and morning entry was done without incident.
- **09:22** – Public Order Units (POU) began staggered starts at protest sites by POU teams from Ottawa, York, RCMP, Toronto, Sudbury, Durham et al.
 - Due to the level of aggression by protestors, POU and tactical teams are equipped with helmets and carrying sticks. OC spray has been used on line by POU.
- Shortly after POU launch, an individual detonated a smoke bomb into the crowd.
 - The individual was later identified and has been arrested.
- POU teams have made significant progress clearing areas and towing vehicles.
- **12:45** – Operations were paused on O'Connor due to children still being present in the crowd, Police Liaison Officers (PLT) and Children's Aid Society of Ottawa (CAS) are providing assistance but no new updates have been reported.
- Fencing is being placed on the south side of Sparks Street at Metcalfe with the intent to fence along Sparks to Bay.
- **14:30** – A Toronto Police Services (TPS) collapsed on the line.
 - At 20:00 it was reported that member was assessed at the hospital and released, and is expected back on the line tomorrow.
- A video has circulated showing videos of a horse trampling protestors.
 - However, the protestors appear to get back up unharmed and join the protest, no injuries have been reported.
- **17:00** – There are currently no protestors on Parliament Hill but there are several hundred people reported on the surrounding streets. There are currently 2.5 sites out of 7 left to clear until downtown Ottawa is clear of protestors and vehicles. Information has been provided that some vehicles are leaving remaining sites.
- **17:30** – Today, 22 licence plates have been seized, 11 Commercial Vehicle Operators Registration (CVOR) suspended, and 10 sanctions have been applied under Emergency Management and Civil Protection Act (EMCPA). On 2022-02-16 Wellington Street had 92 vehicles, today only 7 vehicles remain.
 - Portage and Chaudiere bridge open in Quebec bound direction only
 - Convoy supports continue to gather at ANTRIM truck stop in Arnprior despite
 - Occupants at Coventry are starting to dismantle and advise they need 2-3 days to vacate.
- **20:00** – Wellington has been cleared and towing is stood down for today (2022-02-19)
 - Tactical Teams: s.37 and 2 Teams have shut down. TAC element will remain overnight.
 - Tomorrow POU is preparing for one last push to Bank St.
 - Messaging will be issued that it is dark, not safe and unreasonable for occupants to remain.

- At Coventry – Occupants are tearing down encampment and loading onto rigs. Information that they may be relocating to Kenny U-Pull at 6638 Bank St near the town of Metcalfe. As of 20:00, Coventry north parking lot still has approximately 50 vehicles.
 - There were 96 arrests today (2022-02-19)
- Overall, as of 20:00 hours, there have been 190 arrests and 53 vehicles have been towed since the beginning of the operation. All arrested persons have been processed.
 - 79 individuals have been released with charges including assault and mischief
 - 84 have been released without charge
 - It is not known where protestors will be sleeping but it is suspected that they will continue to stay in Airbnbs and hotels downtown.
- 22:00 – There are currently 1184 personnel deployed for the Ottawa Command Assist OPS & Protective including POU and TSG.
 - Ottawa Command Deployed: 660 in the following frontline capacity/job functions:
 - Public Servants; General Duty; Traffic Control Points (TCP); Quick Response Teams (QRT) Vehicle-Mobile; Rapid Response Teams (RRT) Foot-Mobile; Prisoner Escort Teams (PET); Maintenance Plan-Perimeter; Command Element (A&P, Operations, Logistics, Mobilization)
 - Protective Policing Deployed: 216
 - Deployed Public Order/Tactical Support Groups/Emergency Response Team (Overwatch)
 - OPS Assist: 204
 - POU: 159 – (O DIV: 75; NatDiv: 40; K DIV: 42; F DIV 2)
 - Protective: 59 – (Atlantic: 25; NatDiv: 12; 10 support from NatDiv; ODiv; C Div).
 - PPS Assist: s.3 (All from C Division)
 - Emergency Response Team (ERT): s.3 – (O Div: s.3; NatDiv: s.3; C Div: s.3; F Div: s.3; B Div: s.3; TTS s.3).
- There are currently 190 RCMP members deployed in Windsor, 114 uniform members and s.3 Emergency Response Members (ERT) and support, and 58 Tactical Services Group Members (TSG).
 - All O Division members have returned from Windsor, however, DEOC has no visibility on how many Windsor Members may be supporting POJ in Windsor.
 - According to CIP reports, there are no outstanding protests in Windsor requiring our members.